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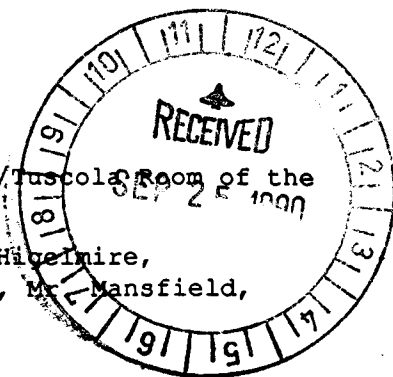
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MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL ON ACADEMIC AFFAIRS
September 20, 1990



The meeting was held at 2:00 p.m. on September 20, 1990, in the Arcola/Tuscola Room of the MLK Union.

Members present: Dr. Bates, Dr. Shonk, Dr. Gholson, Dr. Haley, Dr. Higelmire, Dr. Sutton, Dr. Shank, Dr. McAlister, Dr. Buchanan, Mr. Mansfield, Mr. Moushon, and Mr. Krueger.

Members absent: Vice President Kindrick.

Staff present: Mrs. Schaeffer and Dr. Whitley, Academic Affairs.

Visitors: Assistant Dean Lynch, Dean Laible, Dr. Barford, Dr. Bock, Dr. J. Miller, Dr. D. Davis, Mr. James Johnson, Mr. Boshart, Dr. Whitten barger, Dr. Maurer, Dr. McElligott, Dr. Magalis, Dr. D. Reed, Dr. R. Sylvia, Dr. Voelz, and Mr. Swiney, Daily Eastern News.

I. Minutes.

The minutes of September 13, 1990, were approved as published.

II. Appointments.

By consensus of the Council, Dr. Tim Shonk was appointed to the Honors Council, to replace Dr. Guernsey.

III. Communications.

1. Course proposal revisions for agenda items 90-60-C, 90-61-C, 90-62-C, 90-63-C, 90-64-C, and 90-65-C.
2. Report on Enhancing Minority Participation at Eastern Illinois University.
3. Report of the Academic Waiver Appeals Committee, 8/28/90.
4. College of HPER Academic Waiver Report for August.
5. College of Applied Sciences Academic Waiver Report for August.
6. College of Fine Arts Academic Waiver Report for August.
7. College of Education Academic Waiver Report for August.
8. Request for Executive Action from the Provost and VPAA for JOU 3001.
9. Memo from Dr. Jeanne Simpson, Director of Summer School, requesting that the CAA appoint a member to the ad hoc Summer School Committee.
10. A report from the Board of Higher Education on the Study of Undergraduate Education.

IV. Proposal to Consider the Report on Enhancing Minority Participation at EIU, (90-97).
Dr. McAlister moved and Dr. Higelmire seconded the motion to approve the proposal. Voting will be later.

V. Course Proposals and Changes in Physics Major (B.S. & B.S T/C), (90-73).
Dr. Shank moved and Dr. Buchanan seconded the motion to divide the question. The motion passed unanimously.

New Courses, (PHY 3010, 3011, 3012, Special Topics in Physics), (90-73-A).

Dr. Davis, Chair, Department of Physics, presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. The motion passed, as amended, unanimously.

This action approves the following to become effective Spring 1991.

PHY 3010, 3011, 3012, Special Topics in Physics. (Arr.-Arr.-1-3). Special Topics. A course in a selected area of Physics. May be repeated for credit if a different topic is taught. Prerequisite: Physics 1350, 2390, MAT 1441, 2442, 2443. Only 6 sh may be counted toward Physics major.

These courses replace PHY 3010, 3011, 3012, Mini-Physics.

New Course, PHY 3080, Modern Physics I., (90-73-B).

Dr. Davis, Chair, Department of Physics, presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. The motion passed, as amended, with a vote as follows:
Yes: Dr. Bates, Dr. Haley, Dr. Buchanan, Dr. Shonk, Dr. McAlister, Mr. Mansfield.
No: Dr. Gholson, Dr. Higelmire, Dr. Shank, Ms. Krueger.
Abstain: Dr. Sutton, Mr. Moushon.

Reason for Dr. Shank's "No" vote. "I have no problem with the course but rather the five hour increase in hours for the major."

This action approves the following to become effective Spring 1991.

PHY 3080, Modern Physics I. (3-0-3). S. Modern Phys I.

The fundamental concepts of physics of the twentieth century are taught within a limited mathematical framework. Prerequisites: PHY 1350, 1360, 1370 and MAT 1441, 2442, 2443; Corequisite: PHY 2390.

New Course, PHY 3090, Modern Physics II., (90-74-C).

Dr. Davis, Chair, Department of Physics, presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. The motion passed, as amended, with a vote as follows:
Yes: Dr. Bates, Dr. Haley, Dr. Buchanan, Dr. Higelmire, Dr. Shank, Dr. Shonk, Dr. Sutton, Dr. McAlister, Mr. Moushon, Mr. Mansfield, Ms. Krueger.
Abstain: Dr. Gholson.

This action approves the following to become effective Fall 1991.

PHY 3090, Modern Physics II. (3-0-3). F. Modern Phys II.

Continuation of Physics 3080 applied to the subjects of Atomic, Molecular, Solid state physics, Lasers and selected topics from Twentieth century physics. Prerequisites: PHY 1350, 1360, 1370, 3080, MAT 1441, 2442, 2443.

New Courses, PHY 4811, Experimental Physics I; PHY 4812, Experimental Physics II; PHY 4813, Experimental Physics III., (90-74-D).

Dr. Davis, Chair, Department of Physics, presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. The motion passed, as amended, with a vote as follows:
Yes: Dr. Bates, Dr. Haley, Dr. Buchanan, Dr. Higelmire, Dr. Shank, Dr. Shonk, Dr. Sutton, Dr. McAlister, Mr. Moushon, Mr. Mansfield, Ms. Krueger.
Abstain: Dr. Gholson.

This action approves the following to become effective Fall 1991.

PHY 4811, Experimental Physics I. (0-4-1). S. EXP PHY I.

PHY 4812, Experimental Physics II. (0-4-1). F. EXP PHY II.

PHY 4813, Experimental Physics III. (0-4-1). S. EXP PHY III.

Experiments from different areas of physics using various techniques and instrumentation to acquire and analyze physical data. Prerequisite: PHY 1160 or 1360, 3150 and one course in calculus.

This action also deletes PHY 4830 and 4840.

Proposed Curriculum Revisions in Physics, (90-74-E).

Dr. Davis, Chair, Department of Physics, presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. The motion passed with a vote as follows:

The motion passed with a vote as follows:

Yes: Dr. Bates, Dr. Haley, Dr. Buchanan, Dr. Higelmire, Dr. Shonk, Dr. McAlister, Mr. Moushon, Mr. Mansfield, Ms. Krueger.

Abstain: Dr. Gholson, Dr. Shank, Dr. Sutton.

This action approves the following to become effective Fall 1991.

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| Chemistry | 8 sem. hrs. |
| Mathematics | 20 sem. hrs. |
| Physics 1350* (4), 1360*(4), 1370 (4), 2390 (3), 2400 (3), 3080 (3), 3150 (4), 3410 (3), 3420 (3), 4000 (1), 4010 (1), 4811 (1), 4812 (1), 4813 (1), 4850 (4). | 40 sem. hrs. |
| Electives from PHY 3010 (Ar), 3011, (Ar), 3012 (Ar), 3090 (3), 3270 (4), 3300 (3), 3350 (3), 4410 (Ar), 4470 (4), 4750 (4), 4750 (4), 4800 (Ar), 4860 (2), 4870 (3). | <u>6 sem. hrs.</u> 74 sem. hrs. |

*or (1150, 1360) or (1150 or 1160) with permission of the chairperson of the department.

VI. Report of the Sub-Committee on General Education Courses, (90-95).

Dr. Shonk moved and Dr. Haley seconded the motion to amend the proposal. The motion passed unanimously.

The Council discussed the proposal. The motion passed, as amended unanimously. This action approves the following to become effective immediately.

General philosophical position. The new General Education program is an evolutionary process. It is expected that incremental modifications will be necessary as students and departments work within the new guidelines. We recommend that CAA actively solicit courses to fill gaps in the Integrated Core.

I a. If CAA judges that a course truly fits the new General Education course guidelines, then it would be very unlikely to duplicate a course taught by another department which was not designed for the Integrated Core. The latter course is likely to be more specialized. The issue may really be the background of faculty in one department to teach subject matter traditionally part of another department. This must be addressed as a course quality issue.

I b. If two or more courses are submitted with substantial overlap, CAA should actively encourage the departments involved to develop a single course to be cross-listed under each department in the catalog. Each department involved would offer separate sections which might differ slightly just as different sections of current courses differ from instructor to instructor.

II. For the current round of new course approvals, CAA should use the course approval criteria already in place with emphasis on course quality and suitability within the Integrated Core Guidelines. CAA should adopt the position that it will examine the new courses as they are taught and take an active role in working with departments to consolidate related courses as described in I b. The goal will be fewer, more integrated courses.

III. After CAA selects the initial round of General Education courses during the Fall 1990 term, there should be a moratorium on new Gen. Ed. courses until the Fall of 1992 except for courses solicited by CAA on an exceptional basis. These courses would also include new Honors courses and new Senior Seminars.

VII. New Course Proposal, JOU 1XXX, News, Media, and Society, GEN ED - Human Behavior, (90-66-C).

Dr. Reed, Chair, Journalism, and Dr. Voelz, presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. Voting will be later.

VIII. New Course Proposal, ANT 2XXX, The Anthropological Perspectives, GEN ED - Human Behavior, (90-69-C).

Dr. Whittenbarger, Chair, Sociology/Anthropology, and Dr. Magalis presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. Voting will be later.

IX. New Course Proposal, HIS 3XXX, Turning Points in the History of Religion and Science, GEN ED - Human Behavior, (90-70-C).

Dr. Maurer, Chair, History, and Dr. McElligott presented the proposal and answered questions of the Council. Voting will be later.

The meeting adjourned at 4:15

Billie Rawlings - Recording Secretary

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEETING

September 25, 1990, 2:00 p.m. - 1895 Room - MLK Union

Note Tuesday Meeting Schedule.

The Council on Academic Affairs will have additional meetings beginning Tuesday, September 25, 1990 through Tuesday, November 13, 1990, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. The meetings are scheduled as follows.

September 25, 1990 - 1895 Room - MLK Union

October 2, 1990 - 326 Coleman Hall

October 9, 1990 - 1895 Room - MLK Union

October 16, 1990 - 326 Coleman Hall

October 23, 1990 - 326 Coleman Hall

October 30, 1990 - 1895 Room - MLK Union

November 6, 1990 - 1895 Room - MLK Union

November 13, 1990 - 1895 Room - MLK Union

The Council will continue the regularly scheduled Thursday afternoon meetings in the Arcola/Tuscola Room of the MLK Union.

Agenda:

*88-99 Undergraduate Education Study of Eastern Illinois University.

*90-15-C-R New Course Proposal, EDF 2XXX, Schools, Citizens, and Society, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-27-C New Course Proposal, MAT 3XXX, Mathematics and Problem Solving Applications, (and alternative), GEN ED - Quantitative Reasoning.

*90-28-C New Course Proposal, HEC 1XXX, Nutrition and Well-Being, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-29-C New Course Proposal, HEC 2XXX, Changing Gender Roles in Contemporary Society, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-30-C New Course Proposal, HST 2XXX, Principles of Human Health, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-31-C New Course Proposal, PED 2XXX, International Expression for Dance, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.

*90-32-C New Course Proposal, PED 3XXX, Fitness for Life, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-36-C New Course Proposal, EDF 3XXX, Pluralism and Educational Systems, GEN ED - Foundations of Civilization.

*90-51-C New Course Proposal, LST 3XXX, Challenge of Leisure, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-57-C New Course Proposal, PHI 2XXX, The Good Life: Theory and Practice, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-58-C New Course Proposal, SPC 2XXX, Interpersonal Communication and Social Behavior, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-59-C New Course Proposal, SPC 2YYY, Media, Society & The Individual, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-60-C New Course Proposal, PLS 1XXX, Comparative Politics, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

*90-61-C New Course Proposal, PLS 2XXX, Global Politics and Interdependence, GEN ED - Human Behavior.

- *90-62-C New Course Proposal, LAS 3XXX, Survival of Humanity: The Future of Society, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-63-C New Course Proposal, ECN 2XXX, Economics of Social Issues, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-64-C New Course Proposal, GEG 1XXX, Introduction to Human Geography, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-65-C New Course Proposal, GEG 1YYY, World Regional Geography, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-66-C New Course Proposal, JOU 1XXX, News, Media, and Society, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-67-C New Course Proposal, SOC 2XXX, The Sociological Perspective, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-68-C New Course Proposal, SOC 2YYY, "Social Problems in Contemporary Society," GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-69-C New Course Proposal, ANT 2XXX, The Anthropological Perspective, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-70-C New Course Proposal, HIS 3XXX, Turning Points in the History of Religion and Science, GEN ED - Human Behavior.
- *90-75-C New Course Proposal, PHI 1XXX, Culture and the Human Person, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-76-C New Course Proposal, ENG 2XXX, Literature, the Self, and the World, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-77-C New Course Proposal, ENG 2YYY, Literature and Human Values, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-78-C New Course Proposal, ENG 2ZZZ, Cultural Masterworks, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-79-C New Course Proposal, ENG 3XXX, Myth and Culture, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-80-C New Course Proposal, ENG 2WWW, Creative Writing: Fiction and Poetry, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-81-C New Course Proposal, ART 2XXX, Introduction to Art, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-82-C New Course Proposal, ART 2XXX, Images and Ideas, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-83-C New Course Proposal, ART 2XXX, Crafts and Culture, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-84-C New Course Proposal, ART 2XXX, Art Appreciation, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-85-C New Course Proposal, ART 3XXX, Film as Visual Art, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-86-C New Course Proposal, THA 3XXX, Development of American Theatre and Drama, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-87-C New Course Proposal, THA 3XXX, American Theatre on Film, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-88-C New Course Proposal, THA 1XXX, World Theatre and Society, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-89-C New Course Proposal, THA 2XXX, The Oral Tradition in Non-Western Cultures, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-90-C New Course Proposal, MUS 2XXX, Nonwestern Music, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-91-C New Course Proposal, MUS 2XXX, Music of African Americans, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-92-C New Course Proposal, MUS 2XXX, The Evolution of Jazz and Rock Music, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-93-C New Course Proposal, MUS 3XXX, Survey of Musical Masterworks, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-94-C New Course Proposal, MUS 2XXX, Musical Encounters, GEN ED - Cultural Experience.
- *90-96 Proposal for a Unified Course Numbering Scheme for Core Courses.
- *90-97 Proposal to consider the Report on Enhancing Minority Participation at EIU.
- * Motion on floor.